## Before the Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of	)	
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C.W.H. Broadcasting, Inc.	)	File No. EB-01-OR-133
Licensee of WHNY(AM)	)	NAL/Acct. No. 200232620001
McComb Mississinni	ĺ	FRN: 0006-3820-48

## MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER

Adopted: July 23, 2002 Released: July 25, 2002

By the Chief, Enforcement Bureau:

- 1. In this *Memorandum Opinion and Order* ("*Order*"), we grant in part and deny in part C.W.H. Broadcasting, Inc.'s ("C.W.H. Broadcasting") petition for reconsideration of a *Forfeiture Order* that we issued to it, imposing a \$3,500 forfeiture for willful violations of Sections 17.4(a)(2), 17.51(a), and 73.49 of the Commission's Rules ("Rules"). The noted violations involved antenna structure related violations. As explained below, we reduce the \$3,500 forfeiture to \$500.
- 2. Posing no challenge to our finding that it violated the Commission's Rules, C.W.H. Broadcasting, in its petition for reconsideration requests cancellation of the forfeiture. In its request, C.W.H. Broadcasting details a number of proposed repairs to WHNY(AM) that are unrelated to the subject violations and elaborates on other information, some personal in nature, which it first presented in response to the *Notice of Apparent Liability for Forfeiture*.<sup>3</sup> After reviewing the particular circumstances presented in this case, in accord with the discretion provided to us by Section 504(b) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended,<sup>4</sup> ("Act") and implemented by Section 1.80(i) of the Rules,<sup>5</sup> we conclude that reduction of the \$3,500 forfeiture to \$500 is warranted in this case.
  - 3. Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED that, pursuant to Section 1.106 of the Rules, <sup>6</sup> C.W.H.

<sup>5</sup> 47 C.F.R. § 1.80(i).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> C.W.H. Broadcasting, Inc., 17 FCC Rcd 4548 (Enf. Bur. 2002) (\$20,000 proposed forfeiture reduced to \$3,500 based on inability to pay).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 47 C.F.R. §§ 17.4(a)(2), 17.51(a), 73.49.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> C.W.H. Broadcasting, Inc., NAL/Acct. No. 200232620001 (Enf. Bur., New Orleans Office rel. Oct. 24, 2001).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> 47 U.S.C. § 504(b).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> 47 C.F.R. § 1.106.

Broadcasting, Inc.'s Petition for Reconsideration IS GRANTED TO THE EXTENT NOTED HEREIN AND DENIED IN ALL OTHER RESPECTS.

- 4. Payment of the \$500 forfeiture shall be made in the manner provided for in Section 1.80 of the Rules within 30 days of the release of this *Order*. If the forfeiture is not paid within the period specified, the case may be referred to the Department of Justice for collection pursuant to Section 504(a) of the Act. Payment may be made by mailing a check or similar instrument, payable to the order of the Federal Communications Commission, to the Federal Communications Commission, P.O. Box 73482, Chicago, Illinois 60673-7482. The payment should note "NAL/Acct. No. 200232620001" and "FRN: 0006-3820-48" referenced above. Requests for full payment under an installment plan should be sent to: Chief, Revenue and Receivables Operations Group, 445 12th Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20554.
- 5. **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that a copy of this *Order* shall by sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, to Charles W. Holt, WHNY Radio, P.O. Box 1223, 1114 Highway 570 East, McComb, Mississippi 39648.

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David H. Solomon Chief, Enforcement Bureau

<sup>8</sup> 47 U.S.C. § 504(a).

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> 47 C.F.R. § 1.80.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> See 47 C.F.R. § 1.1914.